

## I REMEMBER EVERYTHING YOU TAUGHT ME HERE

## LOVE LETTER TO A LIBRARY

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I LEARNED ABOUT MY CITY HERE.
I RESEARCHED GRANTS HERE.
I FOUND A PLACE TO LIVE HERE.
I MET WARHOL HERE.
I FELL IN LOVE HERE.
I MOURNED MY MOTHER HERE.

THIS IS MY LOVE LETTER.
TO OUR LIBRARY.
PUBLIC.
FREE TO ALL.

Tell what you learned. Tell what you remember.

Memories of/from the Charlestown Branch







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Three Generations of Memories

1 One of my favorite childhood memories of going to the library was a summer project that the library offered. adding segments to a caterpillar. How adding segments to complete a book was to complete a book and add a segment to the evergrowing creature.

2) I think I was as excited as my first child when she received her first library card. Westching her writz her name on her first, very own, library card was a lite of passage for both of us.

3) And now today, I'm taking my

own grandchildren to the libraryit's the same but different. We still read books together, but the experience is much more interactive than years ago - Trywig to books can computer activities with books can be a challenge; however, they get points for wanting to go to the Abrary where they will make their own library SusSherman memories-

